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## GENERAL NEWS.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MORNING OREGONIAN

**The New York Election—The Count Increases Republican Estimates**

NEW YORK Nov 11 The official canvass of election returns although still unfinished today and will not be completed before Friday or Saturday leaves but little room to doubt the correctness of the figures received from the counties the general return from about half of the districts showing republican gains sufficient to elect the entire state ticket by majorities ranging from 10 000 to 20 000 Returns from the remaining districts may have varied the premajorities of the state ticket except governor and lieutenant governor Official returns now in hand show small but absolutely safe republican majorities With changes this year reported the legislature will stand 17 republicans in the senate to 15 democrats a majority of two on joint ballot which is considerably more than enough elsewhere to make up Wednesday's losses Official returns from five counties not heard from yesterday are about 300 majority for the state ticket

**Pennsylvania Returns**

HARRISBURG Nov 12—Returns from every county in the state give the total vote for state treasurer as follows Hartranft republican 289,153, Barr democrat 251,830 Stoneman greenback, 27 20 Reiland on prohibition 929

**Robbery by a Member of Congress.**

PATERSON N J Nov 12—Charles H Voorhis member of congress from the fifth district of New Jersey was arrested yesterday on U S deputy marshal on a charge of abstracting from the First National Bank of Hackensack, of which he was president deposited to secure a private loan The affidavits were made by Cashier Brower and Vice President Degroot Voorhis was taken before a U S commissioner His bail has not yet been fixed and he is now at his residence under surveillance

**Minnesota Returns.**

St Paul, Nov 12—Official returns from the state, now nearly completed will give Kindberry, who was badly scratched, 15 000 majority, and the rest of the republican state ticket received 20,000

**The Recent Disaster.**

PHILADELPHIA Nov 12—At an investigation to-day of the cause of the collision between the steamer *Champion* and the ship *Ottawa* it was ascertained that there was no lookout on the *Champion* It was customary to make the man off the lookout for other work.

## THE LOUISIANA LOTTERY SWINDLE.

**Arrest of Several Ticket Dealers in New Orleans—Full Scheme and How Much its Managers Make by it.**

[SPECIAL DESPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN]

NEW YORK, Nov 12—The panic among dealers in lottery tickets here continues the course of the past two days being followed up by proceedings calculated to cause dismay in the ranks of the speculators The openness and audacity with which lottery people have conducted the business have attracted very great attention from law-abiding citizens Papers received yesterday contained the following Book Noon, agent of M Dauphin, of the Orleans, representing the Louisiana lottery, of which M A Dauphin is principal in New Orleans The *Times* says that Dauphin insists in advertisements in some daily papers that all of the 100 000 tickets issued in each monthly scheme are sold before the drawing takes place Thus it says, obtains the gross receipt of $200 000 month of which they claim to distribute $110 in prizes, leaving $90 000 to pay running expenses, including advertising rents salaries printing and postage This in the opinion of men who know a great deal about the business, leaves a monthly margin of profit amounting to from $35 000 to $40 000 to be divided between four or five persons and give a share of them an income of about $100, annually, It is said that seven-eighths of the tickets are now sold in this city and state and in consequence about $175 000 a month is paid by New York for the pleasure, profit or privilege of indulging in this little game of the Louisiana company They are said to have been driven, to seek a new market for their tickets in this city because they had about exhausted the pecuniary resources of the people of Louisiana.

## WASHINGTON CITY.

**Bullion for the Mints.**

WASHINGTON, Nov 12—The treasury department to day purchased 380 000 ounces of bar silver for the Philadelphia and San Francisco mints Five hundred and fifty-one thousand ounces of standard gold bullion, being a portion of that received from Europe, was to-day ordered by the treasury department from the assay office in New York to the Philadelphia mint for coinage into gold coins The value of this bullion is about $10,250 000. The director of the mint has to-day that profit further orders the coin of gold by the United States mints will be confined to eagles and half eagles

**BY ATLANTIC CABLE.**

**Afghanistan.**

LONDON, Nov 12—Col Macpherson reports that the country beyond Kho and Cabul is open and the road easy

**Stanhope Speaks.**

The Sheffield *Daily Telegraph* reports Ed Stanhope under secretary of state for India, as saying during a speech at Horncastle, that parliament might last till this time next year, but in all probability it was very near its end and he took the opportunity of advising his hearers to prepare for an election at an early date

**Notable Death.**

BRUSSELS, Nov 12—The wife of Baron Del Monteuffel, governor general of Rhine-Lorraine is dead

**Alfonso's Wedding.**

MADRID, Nov 12—Preparations have been made for the reception of the Arch Duchess Maria Christine at railways stations on the way to Madrid There will be a great military display at Irun on the frontier by the army occupying the Basque provinces under Gen Quesada The corbes will suspend its sitting for ten days during the marriage festivities

**"The Devil was Sick," Etc.**

HARRISBURG Nov 6—A Washington correspondent of the *Sun* writes A divine recently drove from democratic leaders of high national repute especially from southern public men leave no doubt that a broadly national and conservative course will be taken by the democratic policy the coming win Zeidlers will be made to take back seats Passionate declamation as to rose tal rhetoric and sectional recrimination will be severely set down upon Republicans will be furnished with no more campaign ammunition in the house of statesmen of retired dragons and fire-eaters to backwoods audiences at home than the intelligence of congress and the country The above sentiments are entertained by the Bayard boom A movement in favor of Bayard is also coming to democratic notice, and the result of the New York election will augment the movement greatly

**Talmage's Ways**

Mr Talmage took his text out last night the thirty fourth verse of the fifth chapter of Romans—Wages to sin is death Then in the last sentence of which (very pertinent) Mr Talmage made a jump at the audience with a sigh of relief in the shadow of the eyes and with a voice that would have been a whisper in ordinary circumstances Mr Talmage said Solomon was married the 14th of June, 1554 I know to the day, because Talmage still remains a subject of discussion which has defied his powers of research what Mr Evarts was the last sermon but I do know what couldn't have chosen a better text than the one I've just read

The government is still trying to collect from Samuel J Tilden some income tax for certain incomes He has also sued for the collection till he can prove that he has obtained his salary as an ex-Post Bond Tilden

**Sherman and Foster**

Sherman and Foster of the Ohio senatorship Sherman has a majority of 1 and Governor Foster is contested The Cincinnati *Gazette* now has in the anti-Foster district Matthews, Garfield and Dennison

## GRANT AT CHICAGO.

**A Splendid Reception—City Gaily Decorated Along the Line of March**

**Grand Procession Composed of Distinguished Persons and Organizations—Speech by the Mayor and Reply by General Grant**

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MORNING OREGONIAN

CHICAGO Nov 12—The reception of Gen Grant at the depot on the arrival of the special train at half past ten this morning was a brilliant affair Mayor Harrison, Gen Sheridan and staff, Gen Hancock and staff, Gen Terrance and staff, First Regiment of Cavalry Maj Wolfe Second Regiment of Infantry Col Quinn Sixth Regiment of Infantry Col Tilton Fifteenth Battalion of Infantry Maj Hoist Battery B Maj Tobey Battalion of Miscellaneous Companies Maj Young First Regiment of Infantry Col Knox

SECOND DIVISION

Loesch's Band
Capt Gunther and staff
Carriage containing Gen Grant escorted by the Society of the Army of Tennessee
Carriage containing Gen Sherman and Gov Cullom
Carriages containing the Reception Committee and Distinguished Guests and Mounted and Cripple Soldiers
Platoon of Police
Society of the Army of the Cumberland Gen Whipple commanding
Society of the Army of the Potomac Gen. White commanding
Veteran Organizations, Col Scribner commanding
Grand Army of the Republic, Col Swain commanding

THIRD DIVISION

Gen Wallace and Staff
Old Settlers
Skirmishers Battalion
Gen Sherr and Staff
Fire Department
South Park Police and Decorated Wagons, escorted by the Lincoln Park Mounted Police

The procession moved in the following direction From Park Row north on Michigan avenue to Washington street, west to State north to Lake west to Clark south to Washington, First to Franklin, south to Monroe east to LaSalle north to Madison east to Dearborn south to Adams, west to Clark south to Van Buren east to State north to Madison east to Wabash to Jackson and south on Wabash avenue until dismissed. Gen Grant left the procession at the Palmer House and reviewed it from a temporary balcony It was of great length requiring over two hours to pass a given point There was a large and appreciative crowd along the whole line of march which cheered with the members and organizations of the procession, but gave their loudest applause to Gens Grant, Sherman and Sheridan After the review Gen Grant was formally welcomed by Mayor Harrison, who spoke in the rotunda of the Palmer House The mayor welcomed him as one of the most renowned of American citizens whose journey round the world has been watched with feelings of gratification that his passport was simply that of an American citizen He alluded to the services of Gen Grant during the late war to his generosity toward Gen Lee and to his elevation to the presidency He said

*Sir* You have served your country nobly and the country has honored you grandly Like the immigrant Washington you rose from the lower walks of life and passed through all military grades until you commanded its victorious armies like him you filled the office of president for two terms and when the two terms were over was offered a crown, but preferred immortality and fame to temporary power He returned to private life He lives in the hearts of his people and a time will call him his country's father You too sir when your two terms were over obeyed that part of your country's unwritten traditions followed in the immortal example of Washington, and you too retired and you too sir, live and will live forever in your country's annals as Washington is in the name of Chicago and its people I prophesy that when time shall have grown old when the page of history shall become dim by the side of the great example of Washington your name and status will be placed by the side of Washington and Jefferson and Jackson and the immortal Lincoln Long live the name of Grant.

The speech was applauded heartily Gen Grant said in reply

*Mr Mayor and Gentlemen of the Committee of Reception of Chicago* I feel very much honored by the welcome which I am receiving at your hands to-day I feel highly honored by the pledge of welcome which has been uttered by your worthy mayor which is something so personal to myself It would be hardly in good taste for me to respond in the language of the last speaker I have to say nothing for me to do but to convey my thanks in this compliment of all sons of this city for the hearty reception which they have given me To this one allusion of my reception abroad I will say that in every case I felt that it was a tribute to our community I will say further that of country made, I found in the estimation of foreign and fashionable nations from what it did a quarter of a century ago An American citizen is regarded in a different light from the American citizen of a quarter of a century ago At that time it was felt we had no nation it was merely a confederation of states Lately we have all of us and I could give way upon this slight occasion I have found out that it was a great mistake They know we have a nation known and honored throughout the civilized world and I am proud of the fact that I am a citizen of it

## THE PACIFIC COAST.

**CALIFORNIA**

**Workingmen Determined to See their Elected Officers**

SAN FRANCISCO Nov 11 The following letter was received by the Mayor this morning

[Here follows a letter from a committee of workingmen stating that they were determined to see that the officers elected by the people were duly installed and that they would not submit to any attempt to prevent the inauguration of the new officers Signed by the committee]

The mayor will take action in the matter

**Respite Asked for**

SAN FRANCISCO Nov 12—Geo Hazen and attorney for F A Sparrow now in the sentence of hard labor on San Bruno mountain on a charge of killing T Wallace Mann has presented to Gov Irwin an application for a respite of sixty days in the case of his client

**An Allegorical Expression**

SAN FRANCISCO Nov 12—The workingmen held another anti-Judge Wright decision meeting this evening at the corner of Fifteenth street and Potrero avenue, at which Kearney announced that on the 1st of December he proposed to wade knee deep in blood and perish in the pool in an attempt to seat the workingmen's candidates There was deep seated impression that Kearney's threats are allegorical in their nature as he testified on a previous occasion when placed on trial for incendiary utterances

**THE SKAGIT MINES**

**Splendid Report from Mr Thibert, an Expert Miner, Just from the Diggings**

**Results of His Prospecting and of the Work of Others—The Route to the Mines and the Chances for a Rush Next Season.**

[SPECIAL DESPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN]

SEATTLE, Nov 11—Mitchell Thibert of this city an old miner of many years experience and for the past six years engaged in mining operations in Cassiar left here three weeks ago for the newly discovered skagit gold mines Being an expert in this line his return has been awaited with great interest by many interested parties here who are generally disposed to accept his report on the mines as conclusive Mr Thibert arrived here this morning and I was interviewed by your correspondent He states that his party were engaged six days in poling up the Skagit river from Mount Vernon to the head of canoe navigation from thence two and a half days packing the tiny overland to the diggings packing from 75 to 100 pounds on the man over a very difficult foot trail, though not so bad as has been represented At the time he left but little work was being done Claim holders generally were waiting for the water to go down On Butcher claim a wing dam is being constructed for the purpose of draining the creek bed The Sorenson claim has been worked down to bedrock, and found very rich Mr Thibert prospected eight pans on top gravel, from which he obtained thirty three cents This he states, is much richer than any top gravel found even in Cassiar He also prospected five pans on rim rock from which he obtained 10 cents Other parties are making $5 per day panning top gravel Most of the claims will be very hard to open, bedrock in many places being 12 to 20 feet below the surface Claims are being located very fast On claims already open, work will be continued till the first of December or later As a general thing however, operations will be suspended till spring On the night of the first inst ice formed to the thickness of three inches in the mines Mr Thibert predicts that there will be from 1000 to 2000 persons in the mines next season The rush will commence about the first of March A pack trail by present route which is generally needed, he says will cost a large sum A good foot trail however can be opened over the same route for $1000

**WASHINGTON TERRITORY.**

**Desperate Attempt at Suicide.**

WALLA WALLA Nov 12—A man named Allan Brown made a very determined attempt at suicide this morning near Dry creek. He is from Portland and a year ago was imprisoned at Salem for passing counterfeit money As he was innocent of any design this present on his mind and led to the attempt He cut his head open with an ax and cut himself with a knife until he fainted from loss of blood

**Preparing for Next Year**

Farmers here are all plowing. More wheat will be sowed this fall than during any previous season Prosperity reigns supreme, and everybody is jubilant

**BRITISH COLUMBIA.**

**Victoria Items.**

VICTORIA Nov 12—Three new municipalities have been made in the New Westminster district where the country is rapidly filling up

The American bark *A C Dickerson* from Honolulu has arrived seeking

The ship *Lili e Grace* is due at this port from Acapulco

It is currently reported that Dunsmuir & Diggle have bought the South Wellington mine with all the plant steamers etc and that they will take possession on the first of December The price paid is said to be very large

**The People of New York**

[From the New York Times]

It is commonly said that New York is in respect of population substantially a foreign city that more than 600 000 of its denizens are of alien birth The number of Irish citizens is usually given in round numbers at 400 000 of Germans at 200 000 at French at 25 000 of Italians Spaniards and Cubans at 15 000 This is an exaggeration as a great one The native population exceeds the foreign by about 150 000 According to the census of 1870 there were 240 000 English 67 Scotch 151 Germans 826 French 2 91 Italians 3 Austrians 5 Poles 2178 Swiss 1 Hollanders 1151 Russians This is a very large proportion of foreigners certainly on nothing like the proportion generally supposed There were then 34 000 colored persons who are said to have largely increased since The census returns report 11 have no creeds while there were then 37 Jews 3 Mormons and 1 Spiritualist Of the 53 artillery United States army which cannot better equip for the work could not have been select

**JAMESTOWN, VA**

**Its Rise and Fall—Only one Family Living on the Site of the Wigwam of the First English Settlement in the United States**

From the James River Exami

James Va Oct 21 1879

I many times have occasion to write a letter to some friend in the North and in doing so I usually give a short description of the country around me and I have often been asked to write a letter for publication about the three counties in this section of the state—namely James City Surry and Prince George—but I could never find time to do so until now

Jamestown lies in a southwest direction seven miles from Williamsburg, and the drive is one of the most desolate I ever took almost surpassing that of the Dismal Swamp Although there are hundreds of large cleared fields they appear as so many deserts—not a vestige of cultivation meets the eye Virginia farmers think that land should raise large crops for an unlimited number of years without putting one dollar's worth of fertilizer into the ground Hence their present condition

**THE WASHINGTON LEGISLATURE.**

SPECIAL REPORT FOR THE OREGONIAN

OLYMPIA, Nov 11 1879

Both houses have passed a busy day though the work has been of such a nature as to make a better showing up in the respective journals than in a report of the proceedings Neither body devoted to the most important and final discussion of laws already introduced In the council some little discussion was indulged in regarding the amended gambling bill for and opposing the measure and Mr Dunlap favoring it In the house a short but most animated discussion occurred regarding an amendment to the bill to cut down the pay of school superintendents from $5 to $3 per day Speaker Snyder finally got the worst of it in the debate and the amendment and to uphold our present system of free schools not only succeeded in arousing and retaining the attention of a tired and overworked house, but have made reputations as earnest and eloquent advocates in the cause of education that will be remembered in the future I can only send a few synopsis of the debate

**Council.**

BILLS PASSED

H B 14—An act to ascertain the wishes of the people in certain counties in regard to the fence law

H B 113—An act to change the line between Walla Walla and Columbia counties

H B 96—An act in relation to prosecuting attorneys and defining their duties and fixing their compensation in Walla Walla, Columbia, Whatcom, Yakima Spokan and Stevens counties

H B 104—An act to confirm the county seat of Island county

H B 106—An act authorizing the Puget Sound Iron Company to construct a wharf at the head of Port Townsend bay

H B 55—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Jefferson county to borrow money for certain purposes

H B 85—An act to punish gambling

H C M 15—Praying that suitable laws be made by congress to cause a thorough survey and sale by the examination of the territory of Washington to be made Adjourned

**House.**

BILLS INTRODUCED

Harper—H B 169—An act providing for the payment of expenses incurred by the prison commissioners in examining the territorial penitentiary

Smith—H B 160—An act to make the office of county treasurer and sheriff for the county of King salaried offices

Guernsey—H B 160—An act to provide for the purchase of books for the territorial auditor and territorial treasurer

BILLS PASSED

Sub C B 24—An act to provide for the codification of the laws of Washington territory

C B 41—An act to amend an act in relation to notaries public

Mr Purdy moved to amend the act fixing the pay of school superintendents at $5 a day (while actually engaged as such) by inserting the words three dollars a day in lieu thereof

Mr Shaw favored the amendment He declared himself opposed to the bill on the ground of its extravagance advocating the striking out of the entire pay for our school superintendents and claimed that but few of them did their duty which consisted of mounting upon the back of a cayuse and dismounting for a few moments at each school house He claimed that this was the practice of the superintendent of Clarke county

Mr Dunwar also claimed that they were paid too much for the amount of work performed

Speaker Sweet replied to Mr Shaw in vindication of the Clarke county superintendent and declared him to be a man most deeply interested in the cause of education He hoped that every member of the assembly would give his support to this school bill that the cause of education was paramount that not only ourselves but our children's children were interested in this measure He broadly intimated that this opposition was certain in its character that the old Bourbon democracy had always opposed free education as it was fatal to their success and closed by saying that history teaches us, that all great communities elevated for the power and influence which they wielded over the destinies of the world were also celebrated for their schools and places of learning—and prayed that we would not force the moral of this lesson as taught

Mr Purdy fully corroborated the speaker in regard to encouraging on educational interests Go out down the pay of officials in this department is the language he claimed of penny wise and pound foolish No matter how great our future may look to be wealth and power are soon tattered away unless sustained by educated minds Ample salaries will alone secure the talent necessary for the discharge of so important a trust and one which so vitally interests us all Without this you cannot keep up the high educational standard which all such intelligent men and women as should desire Where vice and its natures exists there ignorance will be found to flourish supreme Let us not by an unsighted measure of penny economy close our doors to that alone to which we must look for permanent prosperity and happiness

Mr Percival declared it would be impossible to secure the men that the welfare of our children demanded for these positions for the sum mentioned in the gentleman's from Mason (Purdy) amendment He granted that hundreds might be found anxious to serve the country *at the price* as had been found that these must be found anxious to serve were in reality detrimental to the interest they attempted to foster We have this money at our disposal Let us use it, like the last session of the parish, Lucy it but rather let us place it where we will reap rich interest in the future The bill was referred

H B 6—An act to amend an act regulating the practice and procedure in civil actions

H B 8—An act to amend chapter 41 of an act regulating the practice and proceedings in civil actions

H B 15—An act to provide for the assessing and collection of county and territorial revenue

Adjourned.

**THE NEW YORK ELECTION**

**Remarks on the Conkling Machine—Arrogant and Offensive Methods and the Result**

From the New York Sun Evening Post Nov 7

What is called Conklingism has received its rebuke Conklingism which has for many years controlled the republican party of this state which has made and unmade governors which has dictated to legislatures which has sought to control the action of congress which has sent to the senate men who were not even citizens of the state which has treated the republican party as its property and has insulted and outraged every republican who refused to submit to its dictation Conklingism has received its rebuke because it has become offensive to the people of this state because it has insulted the intelligence of the republican voters because it has attempted to override the will of the majority because it has sought to force upon the party candidates who were personally obnoxious to the majority of the party because it has attempted to control the party by the use of patronage and by the employment of the public money for political purposes because it has attempted to make the party the instrument of a few unscrupulous politicians who were using it for their own personal ends Conklingism has received its rebuke because it has been offensive to the people of this state

Conklingism was rebuked yesterday by the election of Governor Cornell by a majority which will be found to be not less than 30 000 when the official canvass is completed Conklingism was rebuked by the election of Lieutenant Governor Dorsheimer by a majority which will be found to be not less than 20 000 when the official canvass is completed Conklingism was rebuked by the election of Secretary of State Rice by a majority which will be found to be not less than 20 000 when the official canvass is completed Conklingism was rebuked by the election of Comptroller Chapin by a majority which will be found to be not less than 20 000 when the official canvass is completed Conklingism was rebuked by the election of Attorney General Ward by a majority which will be found to be not less than 20 000 when the official canvass is completed Conklingism was rebuked by the election of Treasurer Wemple by a majority which will be found to be not less than 20 000 when the official canvass is completed Conklingism was rebuked by the election of Engineer and Surveyor Bogart by a majority which will be found to be not less than 20 000 when the official canvass is completed Conklingism was rebuked by the election of Judge Earl of the court of appeals by a majority which will be found to be not less than 20 000 when the official canvass is completed Conklingism was rebuked by the election of Judge Andrews of the court of appeals by a majority which will be found to be not less than 20 000 when the official canvass is completed Conklingism was rebuked by the election of Judge Rapallo of the court of appeals by a majority which will be found to be not less than 20 000 when the official canvass is completed Conklingism was rebuked by the election of Judge Miller of the court of appeals by a majority which will be found to be not less than 20 000 when the official canvass is completed Conklingism was rebuked by the election of Judge Folger of the court of appeals by a majority which will be found to be not less than 20 000 when the official canvass is completed Conklingism was rebuked by the election of Judge Church of the court of appeals by a majority which will be found to be not less than 20 000 when the official canvass is completed Conklingism was rebuked by the election of Judge Danforth of the court of appeals by a majority which will be found to be not less than 20 000 when the official canvass is completed Conklingism was rebuked by the election of Judge Hunt of the court of appeals by a majority which will be found to be not less than 20 000 when the official canvass is completed Conklingism was rebuked by the election of Judge Peckham of the court of appeals by a majority which will be found to be not less than 20 000 when the official canvass is completed Conklingism was rebuked by the election of Judge Ruger of the court of appeals by a majority which will be found to be not less than 20 000 when the official canvass is completed Conklingism was rebuked by the election of Judge Woodward of the court of appeals by a majority which will be found to be not less than 20 000 when the official canvass is completed Conklingism was rebuked by the election of Judge Wright

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*FERMENT IN THE SOUTHERN MIND*

Among representative southern journals is the Atlanta Ga *Constitution* It has a right indeed a very great circulation —no southern journal has But it is a very thorough representative of the spirit of so there is less and southern politics started by the general drift of northern sentiment as shown by the recent elections this journal of southern democracy frankly confesses that it is time to turn away from the past because it is clearly a necessity to do so It airs its that after an exhaustive canvass in which every citizen had opportunity of hearing the arguments on both sides of the issues which were deliberately invoked by the democrats in the extra session the democratic party has been signally beaten We must therefore it says accept the result precisely as it stands and the people of the south will do themselves great injustice if they misinterpret the situation by endeavoring to explain why the result should have been otherwise or if they fall into an argument which proposes to prove that the result is not so bad as it appears to be

There is a further gleam of sense in the confession which follows in the same journal that the scheme of the solid south may as well and indeed must be abandoned The Georgia journal goes on to say 'We have a lively interest in breaking down the sham barriers of sectionalism which the politicians of both sections have raised and which they are seeking to perpetuate' Again We must begin to regard politics less from a sentimental and more from a business point of view In short the southern people apart from politics, must begin to look out for themselves and to provide for their own comfort. In what condition the northern democracy would be left should the solid south withdraw from the party is a suggestion which in time may awaken some anxiety in the northern democratic mind

It is time, indeed to drop these sectional animosities and break down the barriers of sectionalism between the north and south They were, in fact, fast disappearing till three or four years ago when the south started in on the solid sectional plan to capture the government and rule the country State supremacy and the general doctrines of the rebellion were proclaimed anew, and the southern states, by suppressing political opposition through fraud and violence, became a solid political unit, gained complete control of congress by controlling the party caucuses and entertained no doubt that the northern members of the coalition would be able to bring strength enough to insure for the scheme full success But this now is a lost hope and as gacious observers in the solid south begin to see that they may as well abandon the scheme It would, however, be a mistake to imagine that it is to be done at once A long cherished hope or purpose is not to be given up in a day It will take time for the suggestions of the Georgia journal to work down among the masses of the southern people. So of course the south will still be solid till after the presidential election of next year.

But this leading organ of the confederate democracy in Georgia is ready to go further. Seeing the hopelessness of further effort on a line of action which has produced a solid north against a solid south, it starts the novel suggestion that the south might with one stroke get ahead of the whole controversy, simply by taking possession of Gen Grant and making him its candidate It actually says it hears "well-defined rumors of a movement to make Grant the nominee of the south." It explains that "the object is, by nominating Grant and offering him support in the assumption of extraordinary powers, to utterly break down all barriers of sectionalism, and leave no room for prejudice and slander."

This can hardly be the voice of deliberation. It is rather that of spite and petulance with a touch of despair. But it shows that southern politicians are beginning to reflect that the political solidity of their section doesn't pay for the present and promises still less for the future. It will really be a fortunate day for them when they conclude that the sectional contention which they have so long nourished can never be to them a profitable thing.

With noticeable sagacity the New York *Times* says that the southern politicians who are thus talking of making Gen Grant their candidate, "evince a correct appreciation of the 'strong man' cry. A dictatorship is the result to which their assertions of authority tend. The talk current in Georgia and Alabama makes no concealment of the disposition to invest Gen. Grant with powers at present unknown in this country, in order that the stalwarts may be silenced and the south may have a friend at the head of the government" And the *Times* justly "recommends this version of the 'strong man' doctrine to the politicians (of the north) who have looked at it only from a narrow and selfish point of view."

*TENDENCY TOWARDS ANOTHER WAR.*

Of the trouble brewing between Great Britain and Russia in their rivalry for empire, the reports by telegraph give daily signs Britain is advancing into the heart of Asia, has taken possession of Afghanistan and purposes to hold it. Moreover she is attending with unwonted solicitude to the affairs of Turkey, with the evident intention of taking advantage of the impending collapse of the Ottoman empire, which she is notifying the world cannot be much longer averted Beaconsfield makes a speech at the banquet of the lord mayor of London in which he declares his belief that "the country (Great Britain) is endangered if the most extensive and wealthy empire in the world, with a perverse interpretation of its insular character, should turn an indifferent ear to the feelings and fortunes of continental Europe" adding that the celebrated Roman maxim, *Imperium et Libertas* is 'a programme which would not disgrace a British minister' Russia on her side understands that all these minatory movements and preparations are intended for her alone The British march into Afghan, with the conquest of the country, is simply a movement against the advancing frontier of Russia into Central Asia while the interference of the British government in the affairs of the Turkish empire is only the manifestation of a purpose to be ahead of Russia in the next crisis of Turkish affairs and to turn the expected catastrophe to British account The signs are that collision between these powers so jealous of each other cannot very long be postponed Among large classes in England Russophobia is a positive madness The present English government represents them fully and if it be sustained in the parliamentary elections, soon to take place the sequel will almost certainly be war—unless Russia by abatement or her pretensions and reversal of he policy of three centuries shou declare it. And Russia will certainly hazard a war even in the present low state of her finances rather than see England established at Constantinople

The relations of Russia and Great Britain in Central Asia are discussed from a Russian standpoint in a pamphlet recently published by Prof De Martens professor of international law at the university of St Petersburg Published under circumstances which indicate that it has the sanction of the Russian government it possesses an authority which has secured for it marked attention throughout Europe and particularly On the contrary its tone is remarkably pacific The writer undertakes to establish the proposition that the views of Prussia and England in Central Asia are in the main concurrent Instead of adopting the old notion that the two powers are compelled to be at swords points in Central Asia, his suggestion is that after England has annexed the greater part of Afghanistan and Russia has annexed the Turcoman country down to the Hindoo Koosh the two powers should then step shake hands across the roof of the world and proceed each in its appropriate fashion in the grand work of carrying true civilization to the Central Asiatics If England he argues should declare war against Russia and select Central Asia for the field of her military operations the native levies would form the bulk of the English army and the larger the number of natives in such army the more nearly would the Indian problem resemble the weakness of England's power Thus an Anglo Russian war in Asia if attended with British success would have the effect of developing a confidence in the crown prowess among the subject races of India It is precisely that confidence which has hitherto been wanting in the 200 000 000 inhabitants of British India When that docile population shall have learned its own strength and the relative weakness of its masters the end of British rule in India will not be far off Reverse the case and suppose a Russian attack upon England in India What could Russia do with the 200 000 000 of inhabitants of that country? There are wise suggestions here But the mind of each nation is haunted by deep suspicions that the other intends schemes of conquest Hence when an English minister makes a warlike speech and a Russian official journal refers to English interference in Turkey with a remark that a collision between the powers would be more convenient for Russia there than in the depths of Central Asia, the significance of the attitude of the two powers towards each other can hardly be mistaken

*FORESTS OF ALASKA*

Among interesting letters on Alaska recently written by John Muir, and published in the San Francisco *Bulletin* is one on the timber resources of the country It gives information of interest which we have not met with elsewhere The writer begins with the theory that Alaska is a very young country and finds that its forests are mostly set on solid rock which has but recently emerged from beneath the ice sheet Probably it is a young country if we reckon only from the close of the last glacial period But it contains plenty of fossil ivory and other organic remains of a pre-glacial age and therefore cannot be absolutely a young country Be this, however, as it may, it is undoubted that it is only in times comparatively recent that the country has emerged from a glacial condition, and that, as Muir says, the existence of forests on so bare a surface is possible only in a wet and temperate climate such as Alaska now possesses No doubt also if Alaska were given the climate of California her now evergreen islands and shores would be treeless, sun-beaten rocks The bulk of Alaskan forests is made up of three species of evergreens The most important of these as to timber is the yellow cedar The wood is described as a pale yellow, close grained, tough durable and susceptible of good polish, and to these qualities is added a pleasant fragrance like that of sandal wood The tree reaches a height of 150 feet, and a diameter of from three to five feet The white spruce ranks next and is far more abundant than the first, while the third of the group is a beautiful hemlock spruce, also very abundant in particular localities The common fir abounds, but it is a small tree seldom exceeding a height of 60 or 70 feet The writer says that with the important exception of the yellow cedar, timber trees for every use, as good or better in quality abound in California Oregon Washington territory and British Columbia, while those sources of supply are also nearer the markets of the world And it will only be after those are exhausted on the more accessible portions of the coast that those grand Alaska forests will to any considerable extent be made available. Seward expected Alaska to become the shipyard of the world So it may a century hence In the meantime this supply will keep These Alaska forests are not threatened with fire, or any other destruction dependent on the agency of man They are too wet to burn. The roots are set in a deep sponge of wet mosses, kept saturated by the abundant rains that fall through out all seasons, so that running fires are impossible

The report of the auditor of the treasury for the postoffice department for the fiscal year ended 30th June last, shows that the actual deficit in the cost of the postal service during the period was only $3 081 405, a remarkably small deficit, which is nearly $1,500,000 less than that of the preceding year The total revenue of the postoffice department for the last fiscal year was $30,041,882, an increase of $764 485, and the total expenditures $33 073,437 a decrease of $1 091,647 In comparison with the preceding year of the last named amount $795 612 was saved by the law which changed the basis of postmasters' compensation from commission on stamps sold to commission on stamps cancelled, and the remainder by the reduction of compensation allowed railroads

Production of petroleum is developing into a considerable interest in California The present yield of that state is about two hundred barrels, equal to 8000 gallons crude or 5600 gallons refined oil a day New discoveries have been made in Santa Cruz county which promise great results, and it is believed that the quantity attainable will be sufficient are long to supply not only the entire Pacific coast but China Japan and Australia It is stated that within sixty days a refinery will be started in the vicinity of San Francisco with a capacity of 1000 barrels a day.

A few days ago work was resumed at Casa Grande Arizona, on the Southern Pacific railroad Construction will be pushed with all speed and the road will cross the Rio Gaude in Texas before the close of 1880

There is a yearly increase of the catch of codfish in the waters of Alaska Last year the receipts at San Francisco were 921 000 fish This year 656 000 have been received and the fishing fleet is not yet all in

It is reported that Russia will ere long try to place a loan on our market She already owes the respectable sum of $ 600 000 000 which is about $600 000 000 more than our national debt

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With corns upon all of her toes
A woman tramps round a sawdust track
And thus gives vent to her woes
Walk walk walk
Down and up and around,
With Pooley close behind me
And Denman gaining ground

II

Walk, walk walk
When the day breaks overhead
And walk walk walk,
When the Chinamen go to bed
I dislather so a wheel
On the engine of Number Four
Or even a peanut roasting machine
Than to keep up this thing much more

III

Though the roaster turns and turns
It ceases once in a while
And the wheels of the engine sometimes rest
When the boys go in to smile.
But Wiley and Florence stride
With VonBerg at Armory Hall
And if I give out they'll scalp the tin
That into my purse should fall

IV

Walk, walk, walk
My sorrows none can tell
Oh happy the women who promenade
Or shop at the J X L.
When I think of that grand bazaar
My task seems doubly hard
And I long to handle their new silk plush
At ninety cents a yard

V

Tis true, one thought I have
To somewhat lighten my woes,
That on my swollen feet I wear
Their two pit Balbriggan hose—
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At twenty five cents a pair—
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VI

Oh! when this week is over
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THURSDAY MORNING NOV 13 1879

## WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

[SPECIAL DESPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN]
WASHINGTON NOV 13—1 30 A M—For Oregon, generally cloudy weather with high barometer
For San Francisco

## CITY.

OLD FRICTION MATCHES—Mr Geo P H
man of Hodge Davis & Co left at this office
a box of ancient looking matches which were
manufactured in 1834 at Springfield Mass
by Lucius C Allen & Co There are eight
matches in the box each bunch consisting
fifteen rows with eight matches to the row
On the side of the box are directions how to
use the matches and to be sure to strike then
on the sand surface when a light is required
Mr Willis Phelps who gave these matches to
Mr Holman stated that a school meeting
was held when he was quite a young man
and during the time the meeting was in ses
sion a Yankee peddler came in and exhibited
a variety of these newly manufactured
matches which he offered to sell The
question was discussed at some length in the
meeting, and it was finally determined that
those present did not wish to have any arti
cle introduced which could produce fire by
being rubbed against a board This simple
fact went to show that even in
that day the witchcraft superstition
had still a hold in the public mind We
have some of the matches and notwithstanding
the fact that they are 45 years old found
them comparatively unimpaired by the long
keeping

Y M C A MEETINGS—An increased interest
is manifest at these meetings The at
tendance was much larger last evening than
before The meeting was led by Rev J
A Cruzan, who spoke in his usual impres
sive style To-night the meeting will be
held at the hall, and the various churches
will hold their regular prayer meetings taking
the subject "The Secret of a Young Man s
Success" Business On Friday evening
the meeting will be led at the Y M C A
Hall by Rev A S Coats Subject A
Highly Favored Man and his Terrible End

SHOOTING MATCH—Several parties have been
over to Gresham to have taken an active part in the An
nual Carnival at San Francisco The Call
mentions one Among the most active
and energetic attaches of the refreshment
saloon was Miss Bessie Tracy and Miss Emily
Tracy who have worked with untiring dili
gence since the opening of the carnival, and
have by their uniform courtesy coupled with
the attraction of their personal charms, con
tributed in a great measure to the magnifi
cent success of this booth Miss Tracy is
now sojourning in this city

MAIL BY EVENING EXPRESS—From the
Albany Democrat it is learned that "arrange-
ments have been made whereby we are to
have additional mail facilities between here
and Portland Hereafter the Albany even-
ing express train will carry the mail Mr
Clemens of the Chemeketa, has kindly con
sented to carry it from the train of evenings
to Wm Hunter will have charge of the
mail between the depot and postoffice This
arrangement will doubtless prove a great con
venience to the people of Salem "

ARRESTED—Sheriff J L Sperry of Uma
tilla county arrived here Tuesday evening
having in custody two prisoners en route to
Salem These prisoners are R E Wilson,
sentenced to the penitentiary for three years
for stealing cattle, and John Campbell three
years for stealing a horse The prisoners
were conveyed to Salem yesterday Sheriff
Sperry will start home this morning

DEAD LOSS—Frank Mayo, who played a
star engagement at New Market Theater
last one year ago, was recently robbed of
his money and valuables He was on his
way from San Francisco to fill an engagement
and had to leave the cars at Elmira, New
York, for want money to carry him through, as
the sharpers got his wife's tickets were also stolen
to the amount $500

CONCERT—We are pleased to learn that an
entertainment will be given lovers of music to
night by Prof H Schwagerl, of Cleveland, Ohio
assisted by a string of the musical and elocutionary
talent at the Congregational church,
this evening Mrs Cruzan will also sing
Mr Cook's choir will furnish some ex-
cellent music Prof Chauvin s readings will
be a great treat

THE MODOCS—Advices from San Francisco
to Gen Belcher, Guthrie & Co, of this
city received yesterday regarding the condi
tion of the Modocs state that the only difficul
ty was some of the loose wheat found its
way into the pump wells and shocked the
cattle No damage to the cargo is reported

THE LATE YEARS.—Judge Bellinger yes-
terday sentenced Charles Coburn to the peni
tentiary for the term of three years Coburn
is a discharged soldier who entered a house
in Salem ago, on Fourth street, and was
caught in the act of burglary He will be
taken to Salem to-day

ACCIDENT—Several weeks ago Mr P Sel-
linger, the well known merchant on First
street, met with a very severe fall resulting in
the dislocation of one of his shoulders We
are pleased to note that he has so far recov
ered as to be able to appear again on the
streets

STREET LIGHTING—We have many com
plaints about the manner in which lamp
lighting is done A gentleman states that he
has watched the lamp at the corner of Sixth
and Pine for consecutive nights two thirds of the
time The matter should be looked into

MUSICAL ATTENTION—The Chinese quarters
of Portland will, should be visited by the chief of police and chief engineer
some day It is to see that the cabin air
ordinances and such ordinances as relate to
the same carried out

FOR QUEENSTOWN—The ship *Star*
of the East cleared from Astoria for Queenstown
for Falmouth, her cargo consisting of 25 500
centals of wheat from this city and 15,953
centals from Astoria, total, 41 203 centals
valued at $51,006

WHEAT—Yesterday the steamer *Occident*
came down from Corvallis with two hundred
tons of wheat This was her first trip to that
point this season The *Orient* also arrived
from Albany, on the Yamhill river with 200
tons

THE SCHOOLS—All over the city parties
living on First and Front north of A the
water is so deep that that boats are necessary
to convey persons across Where is the
boat brigade from the jail?

ACCOMMODATION BOAT—We understand
that the *Yaquina* has made arrangements to
run regularly to Astoria as an accommoda
tion, She left at 10 o clock yesterday fore
noon for Portland direct

THE REAL ESTATE REVIEW—Vol I No 1 of
the *Real Estate Review* and *Builders Gazette*
has been laid on our table This paper is pub
lished by Messrs Clark & Upton

BALL AT OREGON CITY—The Clackamas So
cial Club, of Oregon City will give a grand
masquerade ball on Thanksgiving evening at
People Hall, in that city

## CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE "WALLAMETTE" CONTROVERSY

To the Editor of THE OREGONIAN
A friend recently traveling in Europe has
sent me the following scrap which he picked
up in Gibraltar It seems to me of sufficient
interest if not before published—to secure a
place in the columns of THE OREGONIAN
B W M

WALLA METTE

In the garrison library at Gibraltar in An
drew Bell's map of British America Atlas
published London February 1880 what is
now the Willamette river is there marked
Walla matte The map as delineated by
permission to the Hon Hudson Bay Co
containing the latest information up which
time documents furnish

REMOVAL

M G Reimover merchant tailor has re
moved to First street second door from Mor
rison and is now with C Moussdottler the
tailor

GO TO 27 Oak street between Ellis and
Pettygrove, for a good cup of coffee mi6

For the latest thing out in Cigars call at
Schoen's, 209½ First street

Why kill yourself on that wrecked ma
chine? Take it to Barbey Yamhill street

Ladies, Ladies.—The balance of my fancy
goods will be sold at wholesale prices

## FAIR FLYING FEMININITY.

### Quarter Mile Walk Kept up with Unvarying Regularity—Amateur Contests at Both Halls.

The crowds that went to the rink last night
were like those which attended the Mechanics Fair in
point of quality Both halls were well filled last
night the one at the rink being on account of the ladies
free skate and the other at the Mechanics Pavilion
on account of the walking match The latter was the
last one in the series of contests which have been
running for the past three weeks and at the
most distant gathering which we have been able to
attend there was a large attendance

At the Mechanics Pavilion the walk
which should have been finished early
in the evening was walked slowly and
steadily through the entire night and
at 9 o clock this morning the last
lap was completed Each contestant
had to walk a quarter of a mile every
fifteen minutes and the walk was
started at 8 o clock last evening Each
contestant was allowed to rest fifteen
minutes in every hour and the time
was kept by Messrs Fitzgerald and Wilkinson
Promptly at 8 o clock Fitzgerald called
the men to the line and Wilkinson started
them off Each contestant was allowed
a blanket and a pillow to rest upon
during the intervals of rest and the
men were required to walk around the
track during the fifteen minutes of rest
Each contestant was allowed to have
a second during the walk and the
seconds were allowed to enter the track
and assist their principals during the
fifteen minutes of rest Each contestant
was also allowed to have a bucket of
water on the track for the purpose of
bathing his face and head Each man
was also allowed to have a towel for
the same purpose Each contestant
was also allowed to have a bottle of
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### THE SEA'S ANSWER.

The pale moon rushed along the stormy sky,
Now hid, now seen, as the clouds behind them drave,
That drives among the breakers aimlessly,
Their white crests gleaming silver through the dark.

Pale as the moon, beneath the light house cowered,
The silent watcher on the great stone pier.
She saw how black the gathering cloud wrack lowered,
She heard the gale's hoarse warning muttering near.

She felt the kindred summit in her breast,
With Nature's angry mood was prompt to blend
Yet there was answering still, as her nurse,
The hardest hap comes ever to the end.

Though the great waves roll thundering to the shore
And o'er the reef the cruel surf clouds form,
Though fierce and high the crashing breakers roar,
Between the weary fisherman and home:
Calm to its depths the tide will ebb at night,
The waves creep whispering back ward from the beach,
And as the cottage hearth shows welcome light,
The laden robe leaps the harbor bar,
Ears that can hear, hearts that can understand,
Know Ocean tells us, like a staunch old friend,
God holds the future in His loving hand,
The hardest hap comes ever to the end."

The red roofed houses piled beneath the cliff
In silent separate lights began to shine,
The struggling moon her tearful radiance shed
On the grand beauty of the mitred brine;
From the quiet nest, laugh, catch of song, and call,
Came faint to the pier upon the breeze,
And regular as pulses rise and fall,
Boomed the long echo of the breaking seas.
And still the watcher on the great stone pier
Lingered above the eternal waves to bend,
Taking their answer home to hush and cheer.
"The hardest hap comes ever to an end."

—*All the Year Round.*

### BESIDE A LITTLE GRAVE.

"Call no one happy till he dies" the old
Athenian saying, has the stamp of truth;
And oh! how many a bright and glowing youth,
Lit with the morning's sunshine and its gold,
As years swept on has darkened with the mould
Of vice and bitterness of sin-brought care!
How many a fond and fearful mother's prayer
Had been unuttered if she could have told
His future life whom she sought God to spare!
Nay, rather she had prayed he should die cold
In all the purity of childhood dress;
And standing o'er my first-born's little grave
I can but humbly murmur God knew best.
Stainless He took the precious flower He gave.

### THE FATE OF A LETTER.

(From a Philadelphia Paper.)

"I'm just making my report to the department at Washington concerning the fate of a registered letter," remarked Special Agent Barrett, of the Philadelphia postoffice yesterday, as he sat at his desk buried in a pile of official documents. "Sometimes parties who complain of having a letter lost think there is too much of that quantity known as 'red tape' to be disposed of in our endeavors to find a missing letter, but we must find all the information, although sometimes we trace out our case on a very meager start.

"There is a good illustration. In a little town, about twelve miles out of the city—I will give you my reason for not stating any names when I am done with the story—there lives an old gentleman who has two sons living in a town out in Kansas. One of them has recently purchased some property out there in which the father is also interested, intending soon to go out there himself. About two months ago the father wanted to send fifty dollars to his son to pay the interest coming due on a mortgage, and so he went to the postoffice, inclosed the sum in a registered letter, took his receipt for it and went home happy, thinking, I presume, that that matter was attended to. The letter was inclosed in what we call 'a jacket' or an extra envelope supplied by the government, and was put into a pouch containing nothing but registered letters, and having a peculiar lock, indeed, so peculiar that there are but six postoffices in the United States that have a key that will unlock it. One of these offices is at St. Louis, to which place the letter was first sent, and from there forwarded to the destination in Kansas. The arrival of the mail in one of those little western towns is an event with them, and when it is about time for it to arrive the good country people congregate in the postoffice to ascertain if anybody from the east has remembered them. The son was expecting this letter, and of course was in the office when the postmaster opened his mail. "Here's a letter for you, Mr. Smith, and here's one for you, Mr. Jones, and another for Mr. Brown," said the postmaster, and finally, coming in contact with the registered letter, announced the fact to the waiting son, congratulating him on its contents. The son attempted to tear open the letter, but could not because the letter and envelope were stuck together. "Guess the old gentleman didn't mean the money should jump out for the want of mucilage," remarked the son, as he drew his knife from his pocket and began to cut off the covering. It was fearfully glued together, but at last he got at enough of it to read "Inclosed please find $50," but he failed to find a cent. The letter had been rifled. Who did it. Certainly not, the postmaster at that end of the line, for he took the letter from the pouch and delivered it directly to the person to whom it was addressed. An investigation showed that the letter had been immediately forwarded from St. Louis to its destination, and the proper receipts given for it whenever it passed from the hands of one agent to another. It could not have been between this city and St. Louis, for no one had a key to the pouch, and no one could have picked the lock. So the matter was narrowed down to the postoffice here and the one from which it was mailed. The date of its receipt by the postal agent from the country office was on the envelope, and this time of its starting for St. Louis.

"Such was the condition of affairs when Special Agent Barrett received the papers from Washington and entered upon his investigation of the case. Not desiring to be seen in the town where the letter was mailed, fearing it would arouse suspicion if the guilty party was located there, Mr. Barrett addressed a letter to the writer requesting him to come to Philadelphia, and the writer came.

"When did you mail that letter ?" was the first inquiry.

"On the 30th of May," responded the writer.

"And at what hour?" continued the questioner.

"A little before four o'clock," was the response.

"Sure of that?" asked the special agent.

"Yes; I could swear to it," was the positive reply.

"What kind of a man is the postmaster out there?"

"Oh, there was never an honester man lived; he didn't have anything to do with it."

"No; I don't believe he did," was the assuring response of the interlocutor, "but tell me, who is in the office with him?"

"Well, he has a brother-in-law there, who attends to the office in his absence."

"Yes; now, can you tell me what kind of character he bears?"

"Well, I can't say much about him," responded the writer of the letter, hesitatingly; "I've heard some things, but I don't know anything myself, about his having come there from the south, and that's all I can tell you, except I heard, now I come to think of it, that he was once in a store somewhere in Jersey; I can't tell where now, but I can find out and let you know," added the man, not knowing what possible good could be gained by the information, but hoping that it might be all-valuable.

The place at which the brother-in-law of the postmaster had worked in Jersey was ascertained and the information imparted to Mr. Barrett. The next step taken by the special agent was, using his own language, "to go for" the postal agent by asking him to explain how it was that a letter received by him at six o'clock one day did not reach the office in Philadelphia until the next evening. The agent declared that no such state of facts existed.

"Here's a registered letter, mailed before 4 o'clock on the 30th of May, which was Friday, and did not reach Philadelphia until Saturday night. How is that?" inquired Mr. Barrett.

"Nothing of the kind," replied the train agent; "I received that letter on my down trip on Saturday morning, and brought it up with me on Saturday evening," he added with emphasis.

"From whom did you receive it?"

"From the assistant postmaster at ——. He gave it to me himself, and I receipted to him for it on Saturday morning. More than this, I often get letters that were put into the office the day before on my down trip, because he says he don't want to take the trouble of bringing them to the cars in the evening," was the emphatic explanation of the train agent.

Armed with these facts and such other information as he had gained from the slight clue that the brother-in-law "had worked somewhere in Jersey," the special agent paid the postmaster of the country office a visit. In a little time he was closeted with him in a private room, which, to the discomfiture of the young brother-in-law, who remarked just as the door was being closed in his face, which was livid with fear, "Remember how it was about that check."

"What check?" What does he mean?" inquired Mr. Barrett of the postmaster to which the latter replied. "Oh, that's an old matter that has nothing whatever to do with this case."

"Yes, but why should he have made that remark now? What is the necessity to remember about any check? How does he know what I want of you?" were the inquiries with which the postmaster was plied.

"Now, I must tell you," continued Mr. Barrett, "that I very much fear that you are in for the payment of $50 that were mailed in a registered letter from this office."

"Oh, it couldn't have been lost here, for I put the letter in an official envelope and locked it up in my desk, and—"

"Your brother-in-law has a key to that desk," inquired Mr. Barrett interrupting the speaker.

"Yes, I believe he has," acknowledged the postmaster.

"And now I tell you he is a thief," continued the special agent.

"Mr. Barrett, he is my brother-in-law," interposed the postmaster.

"Yes, I know he is, and I'm sorry for you, and I am sorry for his sister. Now, can you know anything about him?" "Do you know where he came from when he came to you?" were questions put in rapid succession by the interviewer.

The postmaster only knew that his brother-in-law came to his house from South Carolina that he had worked in New Jersey, and was subsequently in Philadelphia, and from there went south.

"Yes," explained Mr. Barrett, "he did go to South Carolina from Philadelphia His stay in Philadelphia was exceedingly brief. He had robbed his employer in Gloucester, where he had been working, of $319 in cash; he then hired a livery team and went to Philadelphia, and left the team at a stable, and the owners got it back a week afterward only by advertising for it. Then the officers of the law got on his trail, and followed him to South Carolina, where an old uncle sold his little farm, all the property he owned, to raise the money to refund it to his nephew's employer and keep the rascal out of prison. Then he came up here to live with you. The day that letter was mailed at this office you left it about 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and after supper went to your lodge, and did not see the inside of the office again until next day."

After delivering a lecture to the country official on the neglect of duty in failing to put the letter on the cars the day it was mailed at his office, instead of leaving it there over night for the dishonest rascal to rob at his leisure, Special Agent Barrett left him, the postmaster promising to call on Mr. Barrett yesterday.

"Instead of waiting until Friday," said Mr. Barrett, "he called on me yesterday and planked down the $50; and although he is a good Presbyterian elder, he actually said 'damn me.' Yes, sir; he said 'damn me, if I get hold of that rascally brother-in-law of mine I'll shoot him.' He found out that the thief had bought a sewing machine in this city with $35 of the stolen money, and I told him where he had bought it."

"So you see the date and hour of mailing letter forms an important item in tracing it up, if any information is wanted concerning it."

### FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

**Financial.**

WEDNESDAY EVENING, Nov. 12.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 12.—Silver, 109¾ per.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—U. S. Bonds—6s of '81, 2¼; 4½s, 5s, 3. Closed—6s, 2¼; 4½s, 6¾; 5s, 3¼. Silver Bullion—1000 fine, per fine ounce, 1¼.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—Consols—97⅞ money.

U. S. bonds—5s, 95½; 4½s, 97¾; 4s, 69⅝.

There is no particular stringency in the local money market, the funds at hand being amply sufficient to meet the wants of the trade, which, for the week now half past, shows a slight falling off, more attributable to the exceedingly bad weather than to other causes.

The wheat traffic, as affected by the weather in this country, would manifest some decline in the volume of the movement, but the markets abroad have a tendency that is hard for buyers or sellers to convince themselves of the safety of any particular course. Those who have ships under charter at the rates prevailing six weeks or two months ago, can afford to pay full quoted figures for wheat, but under the present asking price for ships, the Liverpool market would not justify even $1 90. There are no sellers to-day at this figure, the local quotations for good to choice shipping being $1 92½@2 95. The situation, however, is such that both buyers and sellers are indifferent operators, except in the cases of those who are so fortunate as to have engaged vessels some time ago. In the present condition of the wheat market abroad, A, who has no vessels except those he may take up at rates now current, cannot compete with B, who effected charters a few weeks ago, when tonnage was so much lower. This has the effect to suppress competition, and hence makes the market a little dull just at this time.

Other than wheat, domestic products are coming forward quite freely, with a fair demand for all seasonable commodities, at firmer rates. Trade generally in this line manifests quite as much activity as usual at this time of the year.

**SAN FRANCISCO PRODUCE MARKET.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 12.

Wheat—Nominal, $1 90@2 bid.
Flour—Easy.
Oats—Common sold at 90c@$1 02½.
Potatoes—Dull, choice 80@90c.
Wool—Strong.
Onions—Choice: 80c.

LIVERPOOL WHEAT REPORT.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 12—Wheat—Spot. Inactive: Quotations per cental: No. 1 standard, 11s 8d; No. 2, 11s 3d; red winter, 11s 1d, white Michigan, 11s 2d; 2d spring, 10s 11d; No. 2, 9s 2d; new do., 9s 7d.

**Beerbohm English Wheat Report.**

LONDON, Nov. 11.

Floating cargoes of wheat, steady; do. maize, firm. There is a moderate demand for cargoes on passage. Good California, just shipped or to be promptly shipped, 55s; do. off coast, 53s. There are large arrivals of wheat cargoes off coast. Spot wheat very quiet at Liverpool. No. 2 quotable at 11s 3d; No. 2, 11s 3d; red winter, 11s 2d; white Michigan, 11s 3d; new red American, No. 3 to No. 2, 9s 7½@9s 9d. Wheat on passage to continent, 240,000 quarters; maize, 150,000 quarters.

**Gold and Stock Company's Report.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 11.

Wheat—Dull, weak and nominal, but no selling pressure.
Barley—Steady, with fair demand.
Corn—Large yellow, 97½@98½; small, $1@1 05; white, 95@96.
Flour—Quiet and rather easy.
Wool—Strong and active.
Potatoes—Steadier; sweets, weak.
Onions—Firm at 80c.
Oats—Feed, choice to extra choice Humboldt sold at $1 30@1 32½; latter an extreme.
Hops—California fair sold at 23@23½c; good, 23½c; sales of Washington territory at 25c; market strong, in sympathy with New York, where fancy is held at 40c.
Hides—Market strong, in sympathy with New York.
Dried Fruit—Market strong, in sympathy with New York.
Receipts past 24 hours—400 qr sks flour, 123,000 ctls wheat, includes 2 large cargoes; 2,000 sks potatoes; 3,000 doz eggs.
Br. ship Antigua, taken prior to arrival, and gets 42 6c. French bark Caldera takes dyewood from Central America to Cork; private.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Nov. 11.

Short ribs—$5 45.
Wheat—$1 14 paid for December.
Pork—$10 72½ paid for January.
Lard—$6 75 paid for January.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.

Wheat—None.
Flour—Quiet.
Wool—Steady.

**Shipping Intelligence.**

[SPECIAL TO MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov 11.—Arrived—Nor. bk Scotsmuer, Melbourne; Br bk Stormy Petrel, Honolulu.

Sailed—Bk Oregon, Seabeck; bktn Discovery, Honolulu.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 11.—Arrived—Ship Red Cloud, Liverpool.

QUEENSTOWN, Nov. 10—Arrived—Br sh. Renoe, San Francisco.

PORT TOWNSEND, Nov. 12.—Arrived—Sh Shirley, San Francisco.

PORT BLAKELY, Nov. 11—Sailed—Bk Martha Rideout, San Francisco.

TACOMA, Nov. 12.—Sailed—Ship Dashing Wave, San Francisco.

ASTORIA, Nov. 12—8 A. M.—Cloudy; wind light S. W.; 4 P. M.—raining; wind unchanged.


## Northern Pacific Railroad Co,

**PEN D'OREILLE DIVISION.**

**IMPORTANT LAND NOTICE.**

THE NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY opens a branch Land Office at Colfax, Whitman county, W. T., and offers for sale a portion of its lands in the Pen d'Oreille Division, for the present, at the remarkably low price of THREE DOLLARS per acre for CASH, and FOUR DOLLARS per acre on time, as follows: Cash down; the remainder in four equal annual payments, with interest annually at seven per cent per annum.

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As the lands of the Pen d'Oreille Division are now offered for sale, no more settlers' applications to purchase will be received.

The lands now offered are situated in the following described Townships:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Township | 10, North, | Ranges | 3 to 8 East. |
| " | 11, | " | 3 to 8 " |
| " | 12, | " | 3 to 8 " |
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| " | 23, | " | 3 to 8 " |
| " | 24, | " | 3 to 8 " |

J. W. SHUGERT,
General Emigration Agent.

Inland Empire, Walla Walla Union, Palouse Gazette, Spokane Times (copy for one month), Nothing Inland.


### SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCHANGE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 12.

MORNING BOARD.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 550 Ophir | 2 | 50 | Occidental | 2 | 90½ |
| 170 G & C | 10 | 50 | L. Wash | 1 | 05 |
| 150 B & B | 30 | 50 | Andes | 10 | 10 |
| 100 Con Va | 2 | 50 | Wells Fargo | | 100 |
| 120 Belcher | 2 | 50 | N Caledonia | | 90 |
| 200 H & N | 19 | 50 | Mex | | 14 |
| 270 Point | 2 | 50 | Ward | 20 | 50 |
| 100 Imp | | 50 | Scorpion | 4 | 50 |
| 10 Kentuck | | 100 | Trojan | | 10 |
| 160 Alpha | | 45 | Justice | | 3 |
| 270 Belcher | 4 | 50 | Confidence | | 90 |
| 20 Consolidated | 16 | 50 | Flowery | | 50 |
| 50 Unit | | 50 | N Bonanza | | 30 |
| 50 Bullion | | 50 | Jacket | | 55 |
| 270 Exchequer | 4 | 50 | Plutus | | 20 |
| 100 Junction | | 50 | Mackey | 15 | 00 |
| 100 Hale | | 55 | Sierra | | 85 |
| 100 Alta | | 50 | Savage | | 55 |
| 100 Bryan | | 50 | Gila | | 10 |
| 50 Bullion | | 50 | Union | | 60 |
| 300 Consolidated | 1 | 90 | Con Imperial | | 05 |
| 270 Hill | 1 | 80 | Gould & Curry | | 70 |
| 10 Challenge | | 50 | Mt View | | 80 |
| 20 N York | | 50 | Overman | | 85 |

AFTERNOON BOARD.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 200 R & E | | 50 | 275 Oriental | | 90 |
| 270 Eureka | | 50 | Belcher | | 00 |
| 500 Franklin | | 50 | Champion | | 00 |
| 100 E K | | 50 | Hooker | | 00 |
| 200 Belmont | | 50 | Queen Bee | | 00 |
| 200 Gila | | 50 | Mono | | 65 |
| 200 Bullion | | 50 | Justice | | 00 |
| 300 Russet | | 50 | Belcher | | 00 |
| 50 Manhattan | | 50 | Sultzer | | 40 |
| 100 Prize | | 50 | Addenda | | 00 |
| 200 Arcana | | 50 | Jumper | | 10 |
| 620 Endowment | | 50 | Dudley | | 15 |
| 800 Metropolitan | | 50 | Kentuck | | 10 |
| 100 Imperial | | 50 | North Sunday | | 80 |
| 200 Star | | 50 | Standard | | 70 |
| 905 Hale | | 50 | Orient | | 50 |
| 200 Daney | | 50 | Belcher | | 00 |
| 620 Hillside | | 50 | Mammoth | | 65 |
| 520 Paradise | | 50 | Leeds | | 60 |
| 100 Belmont | | 50 | Atlas | | 55 |
| 300 Hamburg | | 50 | Terra | | 12 |
| 100 Wales | | 50 | C Hills | | 3 |
| 100 Mt Diablo | | 50 | Bullion | | 45 |
| 950 Bechtel | | 50 | Navajo | | 50 |
| 310 Tora | | 50 | N B Isle | | 50 |
| 40 McClinton | | 50 | Bulwer | | 11 |
| 100 Sutro | | 50 | M White | | 50 |
| 140 Syndicate | | 50 | Tip Top | | 60 |
| 5.0 Goods saw | | 50 | Boston | | 50 |
| 900 May Belle | | 50 | | | |


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### FIREMEN'S ELECTION.

**NOMINATION FOR CHIEF ENGINEER.**

W. H. ANDRUS, OF NO. 1.

HALL OF WILLAMETTE ENGINE CO. NO. 1, PORTLAND, OREG., Oct. 8, 1879.

AT A REGULAR MEETING OF WILLAMETTE Engine Company No. 1, held at the hall on Thursday evening, Oct. 2, 1879, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, Sound judgment and the thorough confidence and discretion in the active discharge of his duties are the pre-eminent requisites of ability in the head officer of a fire and efficient fire department; and

WHEREAS, A fireman of many years' active service, possessing such marks of ability, who has served for nearly four years as chairman of the committee of the common council, having control of matters relating to the needs and efficiency of the Portland Fire Department, as well worthy of the confidence and support of all firemen and of men who would ably and faithfully discharge the duties of chief engineer and successfully lead and direct the department in times of activity and critical service, therefore

*Resolved*, That Willamette Engine Co. No. 1 recommend Mr. W. H. Andrus as possessing such worthy qualities of ability, and we, the members of said company, pledge him our hearty and united support, freely and unstintingly, for the office of Chief Engineer of the Portland Fire Department, and respectfully present his name to the impending action of voters at the regular election on December 1, 1879, as the HEAD ENGINEER for the ensuing year.

Attest: A. H. TANNER, Sec'y. 2d&d

**NOMINATION FOR CHIEF ENGINEER**

T. A. JORDAN, of Columbian No. 3.

AT THE REGULAR MEETING OF COLUMBIAN Engine Company No. 3, held on Tuesday evening, October 7, 1879, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

*Resolved*, That Columbian Engine Co. No. 3 unanimously present the name of THOMAS A. JORDAN, the foreman during the past five years, to the city of Portland as a candidate for Chief Engineer.

J. W. WHALLEY, President.
THOMAS NEALLY, Secretary. o8d&ed7

**UNANIMOUSLY ENDORSED BY NO. 4'S.**

HALL OF PROTECTION ENGINE CO. NO. 4, PORTLAND, OR., Nov. 6, 1879.

AT a regular meeting of the above company the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, Thos. A. Jordan, an *active* and *experienced* fireman, having been nominated by Columbian Engine Co. No. 3 as a candidate for the position of chief engineer of the F. F. D. at the coming election; be it

*Resolved*, That we, the members of Protection Engine Co. No. 4, having confidence in the ability of the nominee do hereby unanimously endorse the action of the above named company, and do hereby pledge him our hearty support; and be it further

*Resolved*, That the foregoing be inserted in the daily papers.

J. C. MORELAND,
President.
ATTEST:
W. F. MATTHEWS, Secretary.

**RESOLUTION OF ENDORSEMENT.**

AT THE ADJOURNED REGULAR MEETING of Columbian Engine Co. No. 3, held on Tuesday evening, Nov. 11, 1879, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, T. A. Sprague, an active member of Protection Engine Co. No. 4 has been nominated for the position of Assistant Engineer of the F. F. D. for the ensuing year, therefore be it

*Resolved*, That Columbian Engine Co. No. 3 unanimously indorse said nomination, and hereby pledge him our hearty support.

W. M. YOUNG, Pres't pro tem.
THOS NEALLY, Sec'y. 112

**THOMAS A. JORDAN UNANIMOUSLY ENDORSED.**

HALL OF TIGER ENGINE CO., NO. 5 }
Nov. 4, 1879. }

At a regular meeting of the above company, held this date, the following resolution was unanimously adopted and ordered published in the daily papers:

*Resolved*, That Tiger Engine Co., No. 5, hereby endorses the action of Columbia Engine Co., No. 3, in nominating Thomas A. Jordan as a candidate for Chief Engineer at the coming election, knowing him to be possessed of superior qualifications for that position. We pledge him our hearty support. (Signed) GEO. C. SEARS, Pres'dent.
ud1d1 W. J. KELLY, Secretary.

**E. A. SPRAGUE FOR ASSISTANT ENGINEER.**

HALL OF PROTECTION ENGINE CO., NO. 4 }
PORTLAND, Nov. 6, 1879. }

At a regular meeting of Protection Engine Co., No. 4, the following resolution was adopted:

*Resolved*, That we, the members of Protection Engine Co. No. 4, do hereby nominate E. A. Forague as a candidate for assistant engineer of the F. F. D. for the ensuing year.

J. C. MORELAND
W. F. MATTHEWS, Sec'y. Pres dent.

AT A MEETING OF V. H. & L. CO. NO. 1, IT was unanimously resolved to place the name of F. B. HARRINGTON before the Fire Department as a candidate for the position of Assistant Engineer at the election to be held on Dec 1, 879.

G. B. CLARKE, Pres't.
J. G. Chapman, Sec'y pro tem. 66d d


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